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CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY  
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

28 August 1950

MEMORANDUM FOR: THE SECRETARY OF DEFENSE

SUBJECT: [REDACTED]

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1. Reference is made to the memorandum, dated 17 May 1950, from the Executive Secretary of your office in which this Agency was requested to comment on [REDACTED] offer of military formations and propaganda services.

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2. Subsequent to this Agency's reply to reference, it was learned that [REDACTED] had let it be known that he had received a prompt reply, signed by a Major General, to his letter of 3 May to you. It was noted by [REDACTED] that the Department of Defense had assured him that his proposals would be studied and that the Department would get in touch with him in the event that further questions appeared to be necessary.

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3. The source of this information made the following comments:

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4. The foregoing information is forwarded to you in the event that you wish to take action to prevent [REDACTED] from using your letter for political purposes.

Signed

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R. H. Hillenkoetter  
Rear Admiral, USN  
Director of Central  
Intelligence

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